

SPORT PILOT NPRM: ADD 300-400 POUNDS TO THE ALLOWABLE GROSS WEIGHT OF THIS CATAGORY IF THE AIRCRAFT HAS STRAIGHT FLOATS OR AMPHIBIOUS FLOATS ATTACHED SINCE THEY HAVE A GREAT IMPACT ON THE GROSS WEIGHT. FOR EXAMPLE, A 1200# KITFOX WILL WEIGH A FEW HUNDRED POUNDS MORE WITH EXTERNAL FLOATS ATTACHED, AND JUST BECAUSE A PLANE HAS FLOATS SHOULD NOT DISALLOW IT FROM THE SPORT CATEGORY. THANK YOU FOR THIS CONSIDERATION.